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Burgess&Niple Benson Groundwater Availability Study 2004 (1).pdf

Dear Ms. Diebolt,

In addition to the materials I submitted to you last Friday, I also wish to draw your attention to the attached study, which was commissioned by the City of Benson in 2004 in anticipation of the Whetstone development. This study, performed by Burgess & Niple, indicated there would be enough water for the Whetstone development, but not enough for an additional proposed development (Smith Ranch).

Unfortunately, the findings from this study apparent'y were disregarded. Nonetheless, it should be entered into the record and evaluated in the context of the continued push for development of the Benson area.

Thank you,

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On Fri, Feb 26, 2016 at 3:37 PM, Karen Fogas <kfogas@tucsonaudubon.org> wrote:

Dear Ms. Diebolt,

Please find attached a letter containing a number of references to studies, documents and news articles of significance to the San Pedro and specifically the Villages at Vigneto development planned near Benson, AZ.

Tucson Audubon is hopeful that the ACOE will find these resources to be relevant and

helpful in determining its actions regarding Permit #2003-00826-SDM.

If we can be of further assistance, or if you have questions regarding this information, please do not hesitate to contact me, our Conservation Committee Chair Christina McVie, or our Policy Analyst Matt Clark.

Regards,

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